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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT

: Weekly Report of the Office of Training

9 June 1966

1. Audit of OTR

The summary of findings of the report of audit of OTR for the period 1 April 1965 to 31 March 1966 is: "Administration of funds and property by OTR continued to be satisfactory and in accordance with Agency policy and procedures. The audit did not disclose any significant deficiencies requiring corrective action by OTR."

2. Support CTs

Requirements are being assembled against which to determine the assignments of the officers who soon will complete the CT Support Course.

We expect to have all assignments worked out by 10 June.

3. July CT Class

The box score for the July Class shows a total of 75 committed thus far, 56 externals and 19 internals. We probably will receive clearances on a few more in the course of this month, thus raising the possibility that we may have to backlog a few for carry over to the October Class.

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4. Chinese Language Program

ORR has selected six students for a 12 months' Chinese language course beginning 15 August.

In recent discussions, Colonel David Milotta and Dr. William Davis

5. National War College

of the National War College staff praised the caliber of the students that the Agency has been sending to the N.W.C. for the last three years. They also expressed appreciation for the speaker support we have provided, 25X1A singling out the participation of the DCI and in particular. They prefer the old program for the War College "Day at CIA" (tours of the Building, including visits to the Library, the PM exhibit and the computers) to the current program of straight lectures in the Auditorium. Colonel Miletta pointed out that Agency people with operational experience are much more valuable as seminar participants than strictly DDI types. Up until this year, there has been no problem finding the proper participants, however, this April we had to send a DDI officer as a last minute substitute on the panel. We hope to be able to resolve the question of DDP participation in these seminars as soon as possible.

6. Counterinsurgency Training

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We have reviewed the conclusions of the training committee's report of the Taylor Committee on the quality of counterinsurgency training conducted by CIA. The findings were all laudatory and the report specified no area in which the Agency should initiate improvements.

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7. Jump Training

Of the thirty-five POC #11 trainees participating in the parachute jump training, thirty-four were qualified with five jumps each. One trainee completed three jumps and will take the remaining two jumps at a later date when his minor back ailment clears up.

8. NPIC Unclassified Training

NPIC has withdrawn its request for an Unclassified Training Course and will send us a formal memorandum to this effect.

9. Programmed Instruction

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by the Instructional Systems Studies Group to act as consultants on Programmed Instruction.

10. Brandon ADP Course

This course got off to a good start on 2 June. Approximately 350 Agency employees attended the orientation session.

11. Executive Leadership Seminar

Civil Service Commission has advised us that they are discontinuing this Seminar, a Training Selection Board program. No reason for this action was given and it is possible it may be resumed at a later date somewhat modified under another name.

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12. Congressional Fellowships

Civil Service Commission is interviewing this week our three Fellowship in Congressional Operations nominees.

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13. Midcareer Course

Mr. Allen W. Dulles regrets being unavailable to address the Midcareer class on 17 June because he will be in Europe.

14. Non-Agency Briefings

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25X1A On 2 June briefed 53 AID personnel on the development of the Agency and the Agency's responsibilities at the White House and

Intelligence Community levels.

15. OTR Attendance

Internal training attendance for the week of 31 May-3 June 1966 was 589; external training was 195.

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